

Boston's only salt marsh, Belle Isle Marsh Reservation, helps protect wildlife and people from climate change impacts!



Meet the salt marsh sparrow!



Salt marsh sparrows are ground nesters. They build nests and lay their eggs close to the high tide mark.



Salt marsh sparrows are threatened by climate change.



Rising seas and extreme storms that come with climate change wash away salt marsh sparrow nests.

Experts and volunteers are gathering information to better understand Belle Isle Marsh. Data collected will help figure out how to best preserve the salt marsh, the sparrow & other wildlife, and neighboring communities.

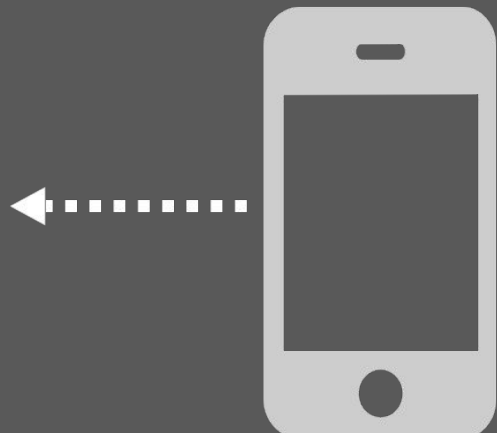


Why it Matters

Our communities are affected by extreme weather due to climate change, just like the salt marsh sparrow. When we protect salt marshes, we protect wildlife *and* neighboring communities from climate change impacts.

What Can You Do

Join our volunteers in collecting data and become a Friend of Belle Isle Marsh!



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